APPENDIX E

FUNDING SOURCES

The following information on funding sources and grant funding available from each of them is provided only for information. *This information was based on funding that was available for grants during the prior 2002-2003 fiscal year*. Do not apply for a specific funding source. Assignment to an appropriate funding source takes place after projects receive approval for funding. PROJECTS WITH FEDERAL COST SHARE MUST INDICATE THE SOURCE AND DOLLAR AMOUNT ON THE LAST TWO LINES OF THE PROPOSAL BUDGET. FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS INFORMATION WHEN APPLICABLE MAY BE CONSIDERED NON-RESPONSIVE AND/OR RESULT IN THE WITHDRAWAL OF FUNDING APPROVAL.

DFG may use other funding sources as they are identified during the funding cycle and direct them to projects. Any identified funds will be directed in order of evaluation score, or in accordance with special constraints on expenditures, if they exist, for a particular funding source.

Commercial Salmon Stamp Account

Funds generated through the sale of commercial salmon stamps, may be granted to projects to restore salmon populations through habitat improvement or fish rearing, and to projects which provide public education on the importance and biology of salmon. Proposals for salmon restoration that meet Solicitation requirements are reviewed by the Commercial Salmon Trollers Advisory Committee, and the members make funding recommendations to DFG. DFG may not fund projects not recommended by the Committee from this source.

Steelhead Catch Restoration Card

Proposals for <u>steelhead</u> habitat restoration and enhancement projects throughout California may be considered for funding from *Steelhead Trout Catch Report-Restoration Card* revenue. Steelhead restoration proposals meeting Solicitation requirements will be submitted to the Steelhead Subcommittee of the California Advisory Committee on Salmon and Steelhead Trout, and the subcommittee members will make funding recommendations to DFG. Up to \$96,000 was made available for grants in the 2002/2003 fiscal year. Funding level depended in part on card sales.

Project objectives must be consistent with existing watershed plans and management plans. Proposals encompassing more than steelhead restoration will receive consideration for funding from card revenue only for the steelhead restoration portions of the proposals.

Consideration will be given to proposals to develop watershed plans for drainages lacking basin restoration plans. These proposals must be for creation of steelhead habitat restoration plans based on a <u>watershed approach</u> that includes landowner involvement in long-term planning, as well as economic, social, physical, and biological factors. Again, this funding source will only consider supporting the steelhead restoration portions of watershed plan development proposals. <u>All plan-development proposals must clearly demonstrate how proposal implementation will provide steelhead restoration at the watershed level</u>.

Projects that adhere to the management objectives outlined in the DFG publication *Steelhead* Restoration and Management Plan for California will be given a higher priority and may have greater likelihood for favorable funding recommendation by the subcommittee.

Public Resources Code Section 6217.1

This code section describes various funding sources used for funding anadromous salmonid habitat restoration activities. The following shows these sources and the amounts made available in the prior 2002/2003 fiscal year:

- Salmon and Steelhead Trout Restoration Account (Proposition 40)
 - Approximately \$6.6 million from this account was made available for grants in fiscal year 2002/2003.
- Coastal Watershed Salmon Habitat Subaccount (Proposition 13)
 - Approximately \$3.1 million from this account was made available for grants in fiscal year 2002/2003.
- Federal Funding
 - Approximately \$16.4 million from this account was made available for grants in fiscal year 2002/2003.